

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS
IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of:

JOHN GRAYSON, D.O.

Holder of License No. 1989
For the Practice of
Osteopathic Medicine in the
State of Arizona

No.

CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER
AND FINDINGS OF FACT,
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
AND ORDER

A complaint charging JOHN GRAYSON, D.O., Holder of License No. 1989 for the practice of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in the State of Arizona with unprofessional conduct as provided in A.R.S. § 32-1854 having been received by the Arizona Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery ("Board"); and JOHN GRAYSON, D.O., having expressed a desire to execute a Consent to Entry of Order ("Order") pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1061(D) in lieu of participating in a public hearing concerning the allegations contained in the complaint;

THEREFORE, in lieu of further proceedings and as a final disposition of this matter:

(1) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. admits that the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth are true and accurate.

(2) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. admits that the conduct described in this Order is unprofessional conduct as provided by A.R.S. § 32-1854.

1 (3) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. acknowledges that the record
2 prepared in this matter, all investigative material prepared and
3 received by the Board concerning the allegations, and all
4 related exhibits and materials may be retained in the Board's
5 file pertaining to this matter.

6 (4) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. understands that pursuant to
7 A.R.S. § 32-1855, he has the right to a public hearing
8 concerning each allegation set forth in the above captioned
9 matter at which JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. could present evidence and
10 cross-examine witnesses. JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. waives his right to
11 such hearing.

12 (5) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. waives any right to rehearing
13 or review or to judicial review of the Findings of Fact,
14 Conclusions of Law or Order.

15 (6) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. acknowledges that based upon
16 the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, coupled with his
17 admission thereto, and pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1855, the Board
18 is authorized to take formal disciplinary action against his
19 license to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery.

20 (7) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. understands that he has the
21 right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this Consent
22 to Entry of Order.

23 (8) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. acknowledges that the Findings
24 of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order contained herein are
25 conclusive evidence of unprofessional conduct which may not be
26 disputed, denied or relitigated in any future proceeding and may

1 be used for purposes of determining sanctions in any future
2 disciplinary matter.

3 (9) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. hereby authorizes any attending
4 physician, psychiatrist or psychologist to release to the Board
5 all records pertaining to his care and treatment.

6 (10) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. acknowledges that any
7 violation of this Order by him constitutes grounds for further
8 disciplinary action for unprofessional conduct pursuant to
9 A.R.S. § 32-1854(26).

10 (11) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. acknowledges that this Order
11 will be effective only upon its acceptance by the Board.

12 DATED this 11th day of January, 1990.

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15 [Signature]
16 Attorney for Respondent

17 [Signature]
18 Respondent JO

19 Pursuant to the foregoing Consent to Entry of Order,
20 the evidence contained in the Board's records and files in this
21 matter, and good cause appearing, the Board makes the following:

22 FINDINGS OF FACT

23 I

24 The Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and
25 Surgery is the duly constituted authority for the regulation and
26 control of osteopathic medicine and surgery in the State of
Arizona.

1 II

2 JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. is the holder of License No. 1989
3 for the practice of osteopathic medicine and surgery in the
4 State of Arizona pursuant to Title 32, Chapter 17 of the Arizona
5 Revised Statutes.

6 III

7 From September 1988 through August 2, 1990, JOHN
8 GRAYSON, D.O. administered to himself controlled substances, to
9 wit: Tylenol III at a frequency of 2 to 4 times per week; and
10 Valium.

11 IV

12 During an informal interview with the Board of
13 Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery on or about
14 October 12, 1990, JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. admitted that he had
15 self-administered controlled substances on various occasions
16 prior to that date. JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. stated that such
17 self-medication was for the purpose of the relief of neck pain
18 resulting from a prior automobile accident.

19 V

20 The self-administration of controlled substances
21 constitutes conduct contrary to recognized standards of ethics
22 in the osteopathic medical profession and might impair the
23 ability of a physician safely and skillfully to practice
24 medicine in that the administration of medication is not
25 independently monitored by an objective, competent and
26 professional physician to ensure against substance abuse.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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The Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery of the State of Arizona possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over JOHN GRAYSON, D.O.

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The conduct described in paragraphs III through V herein constitutes unprofessional conduct as defined in A.R.S. § 32-1854(19): Conduct or practice contrary to recognized standards of ethics of the osteopathic medical profession and which does or might impair the abilities safely and skillfully to practice medicine.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. be placed on probation for a period of one year, commencing from the date of this Order. The terms of probation are as follows:

(1) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. shall submit to random urinalysis testing administered by the Board for a period of one year, commencing from the date of this order. Samples of biological fluids of JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. will be collected by an agent of the Board at times which are within the sole discretion of the Board. All costs associated with the collection and analysis of such fluids shall be borne by JOHN GRAYSON, D.O.

(2) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. shall use no controlled substance or prescription-only medication unless prescribed by his attending physician. JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. shall notify the

1 Board in writing of any substance or medication prescribed him
2 by a physician within twenty-four hours after such prescription
3 is ordered by the attending physician.

4 (3) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. shall meet regularly with the
5 Board as ordered by the Board in its discretion to review his
6 compliance with the terms of this Order.

7 (4) JOHN GRAYSON, D.O. shall authorize any attending
8 physician, psychiatrist or psychologist to release to the Board
9 all records pertaining to his care and treatment.

10 DATED this 4th day of March, 1994.

11 ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC
12 EXAMINERS IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY

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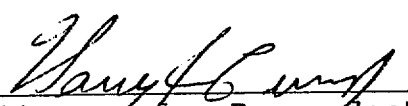
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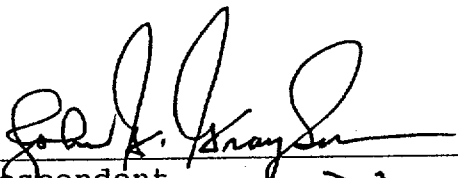
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